Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Saturday 06 Nov 2021 until 23:59 on Sunday 07 Nov 2021

Forecast Issued on Saturday 06 Nov 2021 at 02:41

Confidence: High for a very windy and unsettled weekend. Lower confidence for timings of rain early next week.

Headline for Saturday 06 Nov 2021: Wet and windy morning, drier and brighter afternoon.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 06 Nov 2021

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales High Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Medium Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Light rain	Light rain	Sunny intervals	Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability					
10%	40%	90%	10%	10%	10%

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Weather: Very windy with gales or severe gales on the tops. Mainly dry and cloudy at first. Outbreaks of rain from late morning, clearing east by early afternoon. The rest of the day, mainly dry with bright or clear spells and the odd passing shower possible.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m: 10% in morning, becoming 80% in afternoon.

Visibility: Poor at height in the morning with areas of low cloud and fog above 300 or 400m. Quickly becoming very good in the afternoon as cloud lifts and clears.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	31/43 SW	34/49 SW	39/56 SW	38/56 W	36/52 W	32/47 W	33/49 W
300	14/25 SW	15/31 SW	22/40 SW	24/42 W	21/38 W	18/33 W	18/34 W
Valley	9/23 SW	17/36 SW	18/36 SW	19/38 W	16/34 W	14/30 W	15/32 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	5/-1	6/-1	8/2	8/2	5/-1	4/-2	4/-3
300	7/4	8/4	10/6	10/6	7/3	6/2	6/2
Valley	8/6	9/5	11/8	11/8	9/5	8/4	7/4
Freezing Level*	1500m	3000m	2800m	1400m	1200m	1100m	1100m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

The strong southwesterly winds will make walking very difficult on the tops, especially over high and exposed ridges with gusts of 60mph possible for a time. Strong downslope gusts possible on lee slopes.

Forecast for Sunday 07 Nov 2021

Weather: A mainly dry but very windy morning with clear or sunny spells and the odd passing shower. Dry in the afternoon and evening with winds easing and lengthening clear spells. Grass frost in the valleys later.

Maximum wind: West or Northwest 40 to 50mph with gusts 70mph at first, easing to 20 to 25mph during the afternoon.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m: 90%.

Visibility: Very good. Brief reductions in any morning showers.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 7C to 9C, falling to Plus 1C in evening.
At 700m: Plus 3 or 4C.
Freezing level: Above summits.

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